

HOSPITABLE  
BRANDENBURGEntertains The Teachers of The  
Fourth Congressional  
District.ELIZABETHTOWN CLAIMS  
NEXT MEETING.

BRANDENBURG, Ky., (SPECIAL)—The last week: the teachers only had to pull and enter our old town where they found all they wanted except a five-dollar bill at their breakfast plates.

The program for each meeting was most interesting with S. C. Stephens, from Beaver Dam, President, Miss Gibson as Secretary and Miss Mona Price, assistant Secretary. Hon. Thomas H. Hamilton made the welcome address which was to the point. A great many on the program were absent. W. B. Maple, Cloverport, and C. M. Vertess conducted a discussion on "How to Cultivate a Taste for Better Literature." F. E. Hardy was very much complimented on his views upon "Nineteenth Century Progress."

Friday night the musical program was given with some recitations. Mrs. D. W. Lewis, Misses Mary Lewis, Daisy McIntire, Lula and Minnie Bland and Beulah Fontaine rendered instrumental and vocal selections with Mrs. Grinnell, manageress. Miss Mona Price had about twenty little girls and boys to sing. Messrs. Hook, Clark, Rhodes and Grinnell on piano, violin and guitars added much to the program. Misses Ten Hamilton and "Dink" Price recited. Little Verna Bryant, six years old, recited with the composure of a young lady of experience. "Doc" Gray read an original poem and Victor Spaulding gave a stirring recitation.

The event of the evening was the presentation from the Brandenburg Normal to the Fourth Kentucky Teachers' Association of a beautiful gavel made from a piece of wood taken from the old hull (two years ago in low water) of the Alice Dean, a Federal steamboat that John Morgan used in July 1863 to set his 5,000 men across to the Indiana shore in his famous raid to the North. The boat was set on fire here and the hull sank about two miles below. The gavel was bound in bands of silver with the three Presidents' names engraved, with room for twenty more. Scott Grinnell made the presentation speech to which President Stephens graciously replied.

Saturday morning E. R. Ray, Beaver Dam, gave a fine talk on "Adaptation in Pedagogy." He handled his subject like one of experience and used beautiful language. He thinks this age is all right as far as industrial progress goes but believes we are declining in aesthetic taste. He wants us to cultivate a greater taste for fine paintings, statuary, classical music and literature.

Prof. H. G. Brownell, Principal of the Manual Training School at Louisville, added much to the charm of the session by his strong, practical, able address on Manual Training. He was witty, affable in manner and gave each idea in clear-cut, every-day words. He was not on dress parade and won the audience over by his every-day manner.

J. C. Pirtle, of Hodgenville, who married one of "our girls," gave in his original, unique, off-hand style, a talk on "Side Lines" impressing us with the fact that there is much to consider in "Side Lines" in literature, school and life.

W. A. Bewley read a paper in which he showed study and concentration of thought.

Miss Ethel King read an essay. Ethel is one of our very brightest girls and is pushing to the front.

A. C. Burton had a class to demonstrate "Short Cuts in Figures." The pupils showed careful training.

"Hygiene in the School-room" by N. T. Groves, Fordville, was an eye-opener on the utter disregard of the rules of health in most school-rooms. He gave useful, practical illustrations to prove how such rules were abused and insisted that a reform was needed to protect children from contagious maladies.

Then came the very interesting ceremony of presenting the banner (held by Ohio county since its first presentation) to Meade county. Miss Gibson, in a most graceful, happy manner, presented it to Superintendent W. D. Ashcraft, who received it as gracefully with timely words in behalf of Meade's teachers.

Prof. A. C. Burton was elected President of the Fourth Congressional Dis-

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## GOLDEN WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Williams, Formerly Of This County, Celebrate Their Fiftieth Anniversary At Newport, Ark.

BRANDENBURG, Ky., Special.—Louisville people were no more interested in the golden wedding Wednesday, April 11th, of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Williams, of Newport, Ark., than Breckenridge county people. Mrs. Williams was a Miss Matilda Robertson, daughter of Richard Taylor Robertson and Susan L. Bate, early settlers of Jefferson county. Mrs. Williams was married at the old Robertson home in Breckenridge county, Elk Grove, fifty years ago. It was a home renowned for its elegant hospitality in antebellum days. Mr. and Mrs. Williams lived in Brandenburg at one time.

At the golden wedding were our old friends of Kentucky, Mrs. Sue Bate and Miss Kate Robertson, of Louisville, Mrs. J. J. Webster, nee Fannie Robertson, of Nashville, Tenn., Jim Robertson, of Elizabethtown, Ky., and Mrs. Maria Fontaine Ross, the groom's aunt. Mr. Williams' mother was a Fontaine—a descendant of a celebrated Huguenot family.

We all send congratulations to our old Kentucky friends whom we remember most affectionately.

## LOUISVILLE RACES.

Greatest Spring Meeting Ever Held In Kentucky, Beginning May 3.

Only One Fare From Here for the Round Trip—This Includes Admission to Grand Stand.

Beginning on Derby Day, May 3, one of the greatest race meetings ever held in Kentucky will be given at the famous Louisville race course. Eleven stakes, including the Kentucky Derby, worth \$50,000, will be run during the fifteen days. All the crack horses in the country are engaged in these stakes, including Lieut. Gibson, Bangle, John Bright, Lieber Karl, Pink Coat, Jean Beraud, Rush, Killashandra, His Lordship, Kentucky Farmer, Cleora, Anna Bain, Streamer, Ways and Means, Flannet, Avenstoke, The Rush, F. W. Brode, The Lady in Blue, Cambrian and many others. Nearly 1,000 horses are now quartered at Churchill Downs, insuring large fields and exciting contests. There will be five or more races each day, with liberal added money.

All the railroads have put on cheap excursion rates, the round trip from Cloverport being only one fare. This also includes admission to the grand stand, each railroad ticket having a coupon attached which can be exchanged for a badge at the gate. This is the cheapest rate ever offered from this point, and a big delegation will leave here on Derby Day to take advantage of it.

The Derby will be run on the opening day, Thursday, May 3, and will be followed by the Debutante Stakes, Turf Congress Handicap, Bluegrass Stakes, Clark Stakes, Mademoiselle Stakes, Fehr Stakes, Wenonah Stakes, Premier Stakes, Juvenile Stakes, and Kentucky Oaks, in the order named. These are the biggest turf events run in the West. On Saturday, May 12, the Gentlemen's Cup race will be run.

## MEETS AT BEWLEYVILLE.

The Bewleyville Magisterial District Sunday School Convention Meets There Saturday, May 19th.

The Bewleyville Magisterial District Sunday School Convention will meet in Bewleyville Saturday, May 19th, at 9:30 a. m. All the Sunday schools in the district are requested to send delegates to said convention and all Sunday school workers are invited to attend. A suitable program has been arranged and will be published in due time.

THOS. J. JOLLY, Pres.

No family can afford to be without one minute Cough Cure. It will stop a cough and cure a cold quicker than any other medicine," writes C. W. Williams, Sterling Run, Pa. It cures croup, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles and prevents consumption. Pleasant and harmless.—A. R. Fisher.

## Wedding At Greenville.

The marriage of Miss Maud Rice and Mr. Robert Shafer will take place at 7:30 o'clock Thursday night, April 26th at the home of the bride at Greenville, Ky. Miss Rice is the daughter of one of the most prominent business men of Greenville and the niece of Mrs. Jno. A. Barry, of this place, whom she has visited frequently. Mr. Shafer is a native of Greenville and is engaged in business there.

UPHOLDING  
TAYLOR

Who Has Been Derided, Scoffed At And Insulted By The Beckham Followers.

HAS THE CONFIDENCE OF HIS PARTY.

By M. F. Bennett, Battletown, Ky.

How long will Taylor have to endure the tirade of abuse that is daily being heaped upon him? He has already received his share of taunts from the Beckham contingent.

But the insult that has appealed to every sympathetic soul most forcibly is the way he was treated on the two occasions when he visited his old home to attend the burial of a brother and a sister. Some gentlemen of high estate and journalists of reputed talent, even Henry Watterson, were heard to say "He has deserted the office," "He has played a prank on the Republicans" etc.

Yes, he left the Capital on a sad mission but did he stay away? As soon as possible he was found at his post again where he will remain. He is a true blue sovereign whom every state loving Republican should encourage in this his darkest hour. Think for a moment what he has endured while trying to uphold our rights which were manifested at the polls last November. How many of us would have been bluffed before now by the blackhearted lot of Beckham followers who have at last called to their assistance Tom Campbell, the greatest scoundrel in existence.

I recently heard some Beckham advocates predict that Taylor would submit I have enough confidence in him to believe that he will submit to nothing but the ruling of the highest tribunal. If that court should decide against him, he will step out as he agreed and we will elect him again next fall.

Of course he is a broken man at present, but true friends are better than gold. Every Republican should remember that he has spent his all trying to preserve their rights. Let every Republican continue to battle for liberty and may they soon wipe that damnable machine out of existence and once more enjoy peaceful tranquillity in our beloved state.

Indigestion, nausea are cured by Hood's Pills.

## MAKES MONEY.

A Colored Barber Of Hardinsburg Retires From Business.

WITH A COMFORTABLE LIVING.

Hardinsburg, Ky., Special.—Phocion Guthrie, the colored barber of Hardinsburg, has recently had to give up his business on account of ill health. For several years Phocion was the most popular tonorial artist the town afforded. He had the best part of the trade and says that while he was at the business for ten years he made about five thousand dollars. He owns a comfortable home in the suburbs of the town, and his success is the outcome of strict attention to his own business and having the good will of all who know him. His friends hope that he may entirely recover his health.

## CROPS IN CRITTENDEN.

A correspondent from Crittenden county to the American Agriculturist says that about a third of the apple buds and three-fourths of the peach buds are killed. He also says that pasturage of all kinds will be scarce this summer, as clover and grasses were killed by drouth or winter killed. Hogs are \$4.25 per 100 lbs. This has been an extra good season for sheep, as at least 75 per cent of the lambs have been saved.

H. Clark, Chaucery, Ga., says De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve cured him of Piles that had afflicted him for twenty years. It is also a speedy cure for skin diseases. Beware of dangerous counterfeits.—A. R. Fisher's.

## DEATH CLAIMS

Rassie E. Mogan, Son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mogan, Monday, April 16th at His Home at Derby, Ind.

At 7:40 o'clock a. m. Monday, April 16th 1900, Mr. Rassie E. Mogan, son of Charles and Margaret Mogan, son-in-law of Mr. Latt Mitchell, passed quietly away, aged 29 years, 7 months, 11 days. He leaves a wife and a dear little babe. Rassie was in bad health at times for about a year, though no serious alarm was felt in regard to his condition until a few days ago when it was discovered that he had appendicitis. Even then the fond parents, loving wife and sister did not think the end could be so near, but in an hour when they knew not the destroyer came and claimed Rassie as a victim.

In entering this home Death indeed chose a shining mark, bright, handsome and intelligent! A kind, cheerful disposition won him a place in the affections of all. In the home circle he was the idol of doting parents, tender wife and sister. He was the light and joy of the household. But Rassie is gone! The once crowning joy of their hearts has fled, leaving an aching void which they now feel can never be filled. God, in his mysterious but all-wise providence has taken this cherished one, and though it seems, and is, hard to bear such bereavement, to see the young cut down just in the bloom of manhood, yet we must acknowledge that in some way, though in the night of our affliction we cannot understand, it is for the best, for it is the rulings of One who doeth all things well.

The remains were laid to rest in the Stephenson cemetery Tuesday evening, and the mourning parents, wife and sister returned home to behold the vacant chair and realize as they had not yet done, that the family circle was indeed broken. The bereaved family have the sympathy of the entire community.

## FOR THE HEATHEN.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Meeting Will Be Held The First Sunday Night In May.

Hardinsburg, Ky., Special.—The Woman's Foreign Missionary Meeting which was to have been held at the M. E. Church South last Sunday night did not take place as was announced, on account of the revival that was being held at the M. E. Church. The President of the society, Mrs. V. G. Babbage, has fixed another time, the first Sunday night in May. The meeting promises to be one of the most interesting the society has given publicly for some time.

Osgood, Mo., Oct. 28, 1899.

Pepsin Syrup Co., Monticello, Ill.—Gentlemen:—I have used Syrup Pepsin for sometime and find it gives most excellent results and it is one of the greatest selling preparations I have ever carried in stock. I do not hesitate to recommend it. Very respectfully, Dr. T. Jones.

Sold by Short &amp; Haynes.

## Went to St. Louis.

The following persons from this county took advantage of the cheap rate to St. Louis Saturday night. Irvin Richardson, Frank Compton, Paul Compton and Lisha Simmons, Garfield; Robert Weatherford, Harned; W. B. Henderson, Falls of Rough; Milt Miller, Sample; Hugh Bruner and wife, Preston.

Walker's Tonic contributes to mental cheerfulness and enables the muscular system to withstand fatigue. Walker's tonic antagonizes Heart Failure. It is a nerve tonic, allaying pain due to nervous tension. It stimulates the digestive organs and increases the appetite. Good druggists sell it.

## Carload of Cattle.

Wm. Hall, of Webster, went to Louisville last week and bought a carload of grazing cattle at 5c a pound. He has about 200 acres of meadow ready for the cattle and is feeding 40 head of hogs.

## Card Of Thanks.

To our many friends who were so faithful during the last illness of our beloved son, Stanley Simons, we wish to express our sincere thanks for their kindness in our sad bereavement.

MR. AND MRS. MARION WEATHERHOLT.

## Death Of An Infant.

After a brief and painful illness, Stanley Simons, the nine months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Weatherholt died at their home on the hill Sunday, April 22nd. It was laid to rest in the cemetery Monday afternoon, April 23rd. The parents have much sympathy in the loss of their little son.

OPENING  
RECEPTION

Of The Cloverport Athletic Club Tuesday Evening, April 17th.

SUCCESS IN EVERY RESPECT.

The opening reception and dance given by the Cloverport Athletic Club Tuesday night, April 17th, was a pronounced success. Most of the members were present and sustained their long since acquired reputation of courteous hosts. The gymnasium room was used as a dancing hall, the floor of which was in fine condition for the dance lovers who kept time to the music of the Hawesville band until the early morning. The reading room, which is prettily and comfortably furnished, was at all times popular with the card and conversation devotees.

This club has for its members the most prominent young men of the town who have generously offered the use of their well-equipped gymnasium to the young ladies on Tuesday and Friday mornings. Judging from the enthusiasm of the members of this club and the interest and encouragement of its friends, we predict for it a permanent and successful career.

Those who were present and enjoyed its hospitality on the occasion of its opening reception were: Mr. and Mrs. George Short, Mrs. R. E. Moorman and Mrs. Etta Evans; Misses Jennie Green, Falls of Rough, Annie Hambleton, Sorgho, Ella Robertson, Glendene, Belle Bruce Boyl, Nellie Gregory, Allene Murray, Annie and Jane Hambleton, Mamie DeHaven, Bessie Jarboe, Eva and Eliza May, Marion and Margaret Bowmer; Messrs. Allen Owen, Owensboro, James R. Skillean, Fred Fraiz, Eugene Vest, Chas. Moorman, Fred Ferry, H. C. Cerf, E. C. Babbage, Roy Heyser, Jno. Harrison and Fred DeHuy.

W. W. Mayhew, Merton, Wis., says, "I consider One Minute Cough Cure a most wonderful medicine, quick and safe." It is the only harmless remedy that gives immediate results. It cures coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis, gripe, whooping cough, pneumonia and all throat and lung diseases. Its early use prevents consumption. Children always like it and mothers endorse it.—A. R. Fisher.

TEMPERANCE MEETING  
AT HITE'S RUN.

Quite a number of temperance workers from here attended the meeting at Hite's Run church Sunday afternoon. Some of our best speakers were present and talked well on this subject that is of such vital importance just now. Some good talks were made by the Hite's Run people all of which resulted in a pleasant and profitable meeting.

The last meeting at that point before the election will be on Friday night when a large crowd is expected.

## "We Don't Want Money Bad."

We want it good and we will give you value received, as in every bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, no matter be it 10c, 50c, or \$1.00, as we guarantee it for Constipation, Indigestion, Sick Headache and Stomach Trouble.—Short & Haynes.

## To Meet With Mrs. Heron.

A most interesting meeting of the Ladies' Reading Club was held at the home of Mrs. R. E. Moorman Thursday afternoon, April 19th. There were several guests present and the reading in "The Double Thread" was continued. The meeting tomorrow afternoon will be at the home of Mrs. Alex Heron.

Coughed 25 years.—I suffered for 25 years with a cough, and spent hundreds of dollars with doctors and for medicines to no avail until I used Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey. This remedy makes weak lungs strong. It has saved my life.—J. B. Rozell, Grantsburg, Ill.

## Temperance Speakers.

Rev. Z. Ferrell, of Hawesville, and Rev. J. Ed Murr, of Rome, Ind., will be the temperance speakers here Thursday night. Rev. A. H. Davis, of Hardinsburg, will conduct the services Friday night. Rev. Currey, the colored minister, of Hardinsburg, will address the colored people both Thursday and Friday nights.

At the Hite's Run meeting Friday night, Rev. F. M. Petty, V. G. Babbage and others will talk on temperance.

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Powder  
Economy

The manufacturers of Royal Baking Powder have always declined to produce a cheap baking powder at the sacrifice of quality.

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Samples of mixtures made in imitation of baking powders, but containing alum, are frequently distributed from door to door, or given away in grocery stores. Such mixtures are dangerous to use in food, and in many cities their sale is prohibited by law. Alum is a corrosive poison, and all physicians condemn baking powders containing it.

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## THE KISSAPHONE.

I.

The reason why a kiss  
Contains so much felicity  
Is just because each pair of lips  
Is full of electricity.  
It flashes in the eye,  
Or in a smile so tender,  
And then the lips together pressed  
Produce the kiss in splendor.  
Now, this device is known  
By the name of kissaphone,  
And of all the phones invented it is by far  
The best.  
No other electricity  
Gives half as much felicity,  
For love turns on the current, and the kiss  
Does the rest.

II.

To work the kissaphone,  
You do not need a battery,  
Nor any dynamo machine  
With magnets and such matter-y;  
You do not ring a bell,  
Nor Central call, Hello!—ing—  
It only wants a wish, a sigh,  
To set the thing a-going.

III.

The kissaphone was not  
Invented by an Edison;  
It never has been patented,  
Like corsets or a medicine,  
It don't get out of gear  
If anything is missing;  
There is no yearly bill to pay,  
No charge for extra kissing.

IV.

The kissaphone's in use  
Throughout the whole community;  
You need not be a millionaire  
To have the opportunity.  
There's no more cost to pay  
For one kiss or for twenty—  
So why not push the thing along,  
And kisses have in plenty?

—H. T.—In Frank Leslie's Monthly.

## A Practicing Physician

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Most women with female weakness suffer dreadfully from piles in addition to their other pains. They may be cured by using TABLER'S BUCKEYE PILE OINTMENT. Price 50 cents in bottles, tubes, 75 cents.